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In re Application of:
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Serial No.: 10/018,326
Filed: December 10, 2001
For: MICROFIBRILLATED...SOLVENT

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RESPONSE


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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the notice of missing requirements dated February 1, 2002 for the above application, Applicants wish to call to the Patent Office's attention regarding the missing declaration that it should be noted that the filing of the application was completed on January 8, 2002 as can be seen from the copy of the return receipt postcard submitted herewith. Therefore, the filing of the application is complete and it is requested that the same be forwarded to the group for examination in due course.

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Title: MICROFIBRILLATED AND/OR
MICROCRYSTALLINE DISPERSION, IN
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